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1. [] IN HIS CAPACITY AS CHIEF [] HAS RECEIVED

THE FOLLOWING MEMORANDUM FROM ADMIRAL MOORER, CHAIRMAN
OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

"(1) YOUR RESPONSE TO MY 26 APRIL MEMORANDUM REGARDING
THE CHANNEL IN HAIPHONG HARBOR WAS OUTSTANDING AND I APPRECIATE
THE EFFORTS REQUIRED.

"(2) THE QUESTIONS POSED WERE FULLY ANSWERED AND I
RELAYED THIS INFORMATION OUT TO THE FIELD COMMANDERS. AS
YOU KNOW, WE HAVE TAKEN SOME STRONG MEASURES TO STOP SHIPPING
INTO HAIPHONG HARBOR. YOUR INFORMATION ON THE HARBOR WAS
MOST HELPFUL IN PLANNING THIS MINING OPERATION.

"(3) PLEASE CONVEY TO YOUR FINE PEOPLE MY APPRECIATION
FOR A JOB WELL DONE."

2. AS YOU CAN SEE, OUR PRINCIPAL CUSTOMER IN THIS EXERCISE

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WAS WELL SATISFIED. OUR THANKS AND CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WHO PARTICIPATED IN THIS PROJECT.

END OF MESSAGE

CS Comment: *Requirements for information regarding the approaches to Haiphong Harbor.

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